
IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
FOR THE DISTRICT OF UTAH

KRISTINA ZEMAITIENE,

Plaintiff,

v.

SALT LAKE COUNTY, ET AL.,

Defendants.

**MEMORANDUM DECISION
AND ORDER DISMISSING
STATE CLAIM**

Case No. 2:17-CV-7-DAK-JCB

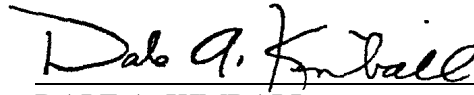
Judge Dale A. Kimball

Magistrate Judge Jared C. Bennett

The Tenth Circuit’s April 5, 2022 Order and Judgment in this matter upheld the dismissal of Plaintiff’s federal claims and directed this court to address whether it should continue to exercise supplemental jurisdiction over Plaintiff’s state law claim in Count 17. “The Supreme Court has encouraged the practice of dismissing state claims or remanding them to state court when the federal claims to which they are supplemental have dropped out before trial.” *Barnett v. Hall, Estill, Hardwick, Gable, Golden & Nelson, P.C.*, 956 F.3d 1228, 1238 (10th Cir. 2020). Because the federal claims have been dismissed, the court declines to exercise supplemental jurisdiction over Plaintiff’s state law claim in Count 17. Accordingly, Count 17 is dismissed without prejudice for lack of jurisdiction. Plaintiff may pursue that claim in state court.

DATED this 28th day of April, 2022.

BY THE COURT:

A handwritten signature in black ink, reading "Dale A. Kimball", is written over a horizontal line.

DALE A. KIMBALL

United States District Judge